
British Women Workers—How They Replaced Fighting Men



Women Workers.

- (1) A paddler in starch run of glucose factory in Lancashire, England.
- (2) British women millers in Lancashire waiting their turn at the lift.
- (3) Feeding an automatic stoker.
- (4) Carrying 1 cwt. of coal to a lorry.
- (5) British women asbestos workers in a factory in Lancashire cutting the corners of asbestos sheet roofing.
- (6) Women making asbestos cylinders for smoke shafts.

How Lieut. Beverley Robinson Made His Escape From The Huns

ONLY CANADIAN OFFICER TO ACCOMPLISH THE FEAT—KNEW HE WAS IN HOLLAND WHEN CHURCH CLOCK STRUCK AN HOUR SLOW—PRISONERS IN GERMANY WERE ALWAYS TRYING TO ESCAPE. What makes the story that we print here of special interest to Canadians is that the "X" referred to is Lieut. John Beverley Robinson, R.A.F., of Toronto, who has the unique distinction of being the only Canadian-born officer to escape from Germany during the whole war. He is a son of the late Christopher Robinson, K.C., a grandson of the late Sir John Beverley Robinson, Bart., Chief Justice of Upper Canada, and a nephew of the late Hon. John Beverley Robinson, at one time Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario. Lieut. Beverley Robinson is anxious to give a series of lectures on his experience in Germany and escape under the patronage of his Uncle the Duke of Devonshire, and Canada will shortly have an opportunity of hearing some of his extraordinary adventures.



A group of Russian, Belgian and British officers—prisoners of war in Germany—on the extreme right is Lieut. Beverley Robinson, R.A.F., the only Canadian com. officer who escaped from Germany during the war.

Orelsd.—the show prison camp of Germany. This was the camp to which all visiting neutrals were taken. They never saw the inside of the real thing.

Toys made by Russian officers while prisoners of war in Germany.



Lieutenant Beverley Robinson (on the left) and a friend.

Only the tip of his nose appeared above the mud. He heard the sentries retreating and jumped out. It was almost too dark to see anything, but they seemed to him to be completely unattended. He went on alone. . . . back to England. He and "X" met again at the Carlton Hotel in London six months later. What things they must have had to say to each other! My friend gave me one little picturesque detail which fits in very well with all the romantic things I had imagined. It is placed in just the right key of adventure. It appears that he and his companions—there were two of them—had approached the frontier as it was getting daylight. For some time they had been struggling through a misty maze of columns of barbed wire hedges and they knew that they must be nearly across, but a single yard might make all the difference. They discussed whether to make a dash for it at once, in the hope of doing the little distance that remained before they were seen, or to go for the day and go on again when night came. They decided to wait for night. So they found themselves a hiding place, lay there, and I daresay slept. It was broad day when they awoke, and I like to feel that the sun was shining and that they were round them looked very peaceful in the sun. And then, from

somehow behind them, a church clock struck—and they knew that they were safe. For the time was different from the daylight saving German time, and this clock was by their watches, an hour slow. They were in neutral territory. From the little "X" said I got a wonderful impression of our prisoners in Germany. Whoever else had his tail down, they had not. You pictured them as sitting miserably there wondering if the war would ever end? Oh, no. England beckoned them with a much more impatient hand than that. Give them but half a chance and they took it. I heard of one heavenly child barely nineteen who made ten attempts to escape. From what I can gather, an ordinary escape never did appeal to him much, and he got more fanatical with each attempt. His friends had an uneasy feeling that for his sake they should try to bring the Kaiser or Hindenburg, or somebody equally reluctant with him. And his sister mother sat calmly at home, and after telling you of his latest exploits, would say, apologetically: "Tell me, Cecil is so headstrong." And if Cecil had walked into her drawing room one day dragging the Kaiser after him, she would have merely said: "Oh, Cecil, you really have gone at last! How nice of you, dear! Who is your friend?"



Lt. Beverley Robinson, a British officer who escaped from Germany.

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AN EXQUISITE SUIT BLOUSE is of navy Georgette, made in the new panel effect; panel extends below waistline both back and front, and the round neck is effectively beaded to form a yoke. The panels are edged with beading to match. **\$22.95**

A VERY Dainty BLOUSE is of flesh Georgette; has a smart round knife-plaited collar, and the dainty bodice cut is trimmed with knife pleating. **\$12.95**

ANOTHER VERY SMART BLOUSE is of a Yankee rose Georgette, in round neck style; front and back are very effectively beaded, and the novelty sleeves are trimmed with beading. **\$15.95**

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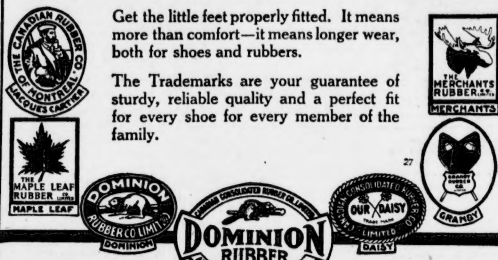
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Halifax, March 20.—The Baltic, original officer of the second C.M.H. returned on the 19th. Col. Johnson stated that his unit remained upwards of 2,000 casualties and that upwards of 5,000 men had passed through the ranks since its arrival in France. The casualties included 25 officers killed and 120 wounded. An especially good piece of work performed by the unit was that of the 10th of August last when it took the village of Le Quesnoy, killing 200 Huns and taking 200 prisoners. Among the officers of the 42nd Battalion, the Baltic was Capt. H. Sankland, V.C. of Winnipeg, formerly of the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles, who won the V.C. at Bellefleur Spur in the course of the action which made the attack on Passchendaele possible.

WINNIPEG DISPATCH WITH FIRMLY SETTLED
Winnipeg, March 20.—The dispatch from the city of Winnipeg and the engineers in the first brigade has been settled according to information given out at the city of the Winnipeg. The matter has been settled satisfactorily to both the city and the men.

TORONTO WELCOMES RETURNING BATTALION
Toronto, March 20.—The 4th C.M.H. the first battalion of the Toronto district to return from the war as a unit, arrived last night at the Canadian Pacific railway station at North Toronto and tens of thousands of citizens turned out to welcome them home.

ANTI-AMERICAN FEELING GROWS IN EAST SIBERIA

Much of Hostility is Attributed to the Work of Japanese Agents

Washington, March 20.—Reports of growing anti-American feeling in Eastern Siberia have been for some time in the hands of the state department. This was learned authoritatively yesterday, in connection with an Associated Press dispatch from Vladivostok, telling of widespread criticism in Eastern Siberia of the actions of the American military forces.

The reports it was learned, came from both United States diplomatic and military representatives in Siberia, and instances of the feeling were cited. Officials of the state department, it was said, however, by no means approved the criticism of the American forces under Major-General William Graves.

Much of the hostility to Vladivostok, towards the United States is attributed in well informed circles here to the activity of Japanese agents. It has been reported that about three weeks ago, a Japanese publicity agent arrived in Vladivostok.

Within a few days, these reports were confirmed by articles appearing in the newspapers of Vladivostok which are said to be under Japanese influence reflecting upon the United States and its Siberian policy, as the articles described its lack of policy.

CONDITIONS IN POLAND CALLED MOST PITIABLE

Madame Paderewski Writes to New York, a Letter Telling of Privations

Chicago, Mar. 20.—In a letter received today by John P. Rinaldi, president of the National Polish department, Madame Paderewski writes of the pitiable and piteous of Poland, as described conditions in Poland as "pitiful" and said the Polish army was hungry and was without blankets in winter and without shoes in summer. The letter was dated January 21.

The city of Lwow was without light, water, food, arms or munitions, but was constantly looted. Mrs. Paderewski wrote: "It is defensible by children, by the poor, by the old, and, declared, 'your enemies' commit the most horrible atrocities.'"

"None of the women taken prisoner were impaled on pikes, as they were."

"We were also six times who were then removed and buried in a heap and left to die slowly. But, the women were taken and tied together (three or four at a time), with lashed wire and then buried alive."

Continuing, the premier's wife asserted the Bolsheviks were burning, looting and forcing Poles to death along the borders. In Czernia, the Poles were killing and hanging, and the German army in advancing on Posen. "We are at my heart with both my hands for four it will be burnt with pain," the letter concluded.

NATIONS LEAGUE COMMISSION TO MEET SATURDAY

Some Proposed Amendments and Changes to Draft Are to Be Considered

Paris, March 20 (Associated Press).—A meeting of the League of Nations Commission will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning in the League of Nations building in Paris. The meeting will be for the purpose of considering some proposed amendments and changes to the draft of the League of Nations Covenant. The meeting will be presided over by the League of Nations Secretary-General, Mr. Richard Scott.

Mr. Robert Cecil and Thomas W. Gregory, former prime minister of Great Britain, are now here and are among those who will be present. A provision relative to the Monroe doctrine is under the legal experts. The commission will work on the draft until the work is completed.

Paris, March 20 (Havas).—Lloyd George, premier of Great Britain, and President Wilson, president of the United States, are expected to remain in Paris until the end of the month. They are expected to discuss the League of Nations Covenant and the situation in Eastern Europe.

ROYAL TROPHY FOR EIGHT-OARED RACE

LONDON, March 20 (Reuters).—It is officially announced by the Henley Regatta Committee that the Royal Trophy for the eight-oared race will be presented to the winner of the race. The trophy is a silver cup and is one of the most valuable prizes in the regatta.

The race will be held on the Henley Regatta course on the River Thames. The trophy is named after the Duke of Devonshire, who presented it to the regatta in 1875.

NEARS MILLION MARK

CHURCHMAN SCIENCE CASE
LONDON, March 20 (Canadian Associated Press).—The churchman science case, which has been pending in the court of the archbishop of Canterbury, is expected to be decided soon. The case involves the churchman's right to sue for damages for the loss of a churchman's property.

The churchman, who is a member of the Church of England, claims that the archbishop of Canterbury has wrongfully taken possession of his property. The archbishop, on the other hand, claims that the churchman has no right to sue for damages.

EDMONTON BANK CLEARINGS

The Edmonton bank clearings for the week ending Thursday, March 20, amounted to \$1,137,896.26, while for the corresponding week last year they were \$1,137,784.52.

Mothers' Advice

The responsibility for a daughter's future largely rests with the mother. The right influence and the information which is of vital interest to the daughter imparted at the proper time has not only saved the life but insured the success of many a beautiful girl.

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Brooklyn, N.Y.—"I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough. It has saved my daughter's life. She was 15 years of age, very delicate and pale, and had at the same time almost all the time, she suffered from backache, dizziness, and was without appetite. For 3 months she was under the doctor's care and got no better, always complaining about her back and side aching. I did not know what to do. I read in the papers about your wonderful medicine so I made up my mind to try it. She has taken six bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and doesn't complain any more with her back and side aching. She has gained in weight and feels much better. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all mothers and daughters."—Mrs. M. Farnas, 114 Barclay Street, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

W. J. Hanna, Former Food Controller, Dead at Augusta

Has Been Head of Canadian End of Standard Oil Company for Some Time Prior to Illness—Was Well Known as Corporate Lawyer and Minister of Ontario Govt.

Toronto, Mar. 20.—News has been received here that the Hon. W. J. Hanna, head of the Canadian end of the Standard Oil Company, former food controller and one-time provincial secretary of Ontario, died today in Augusta, Ga. He went there accompanied by his physician some time ago. Death followed a stroke.

William John Hanna was born of Irish origin in Adelaide township, Middlesex county, Ontario, in October, 1842. He was admitted to the bar in 1860, became a King's counsel in 1868 and was early known as a very successful company or corporation lawyer. He was unsuccessful candidate for West Lambton, Ontario, for the house of commons, in 1890, but was elected to the Ontario legislature for the same constituency in 1892.

In 1914 Mr. Hanna was appointed food controller for the Dominion, which position he held for about a year, when he resigned to accept the position of the Imperial Oil Company, of the same name, and then the Oil Company, with which he had long been connected.

Mr. Hanna was a Methodist and a Conservative. He married Miss, Miss.

Why They Are Buying WAR-SAVINGS STAMPS

The housewife is economizing in comfortable ways and investing in War-Savings Stamps at \$4.02 each this month. In 1924, when these stamps are redeemed at \$5.00 each, every dollar will have greater purchasing power.

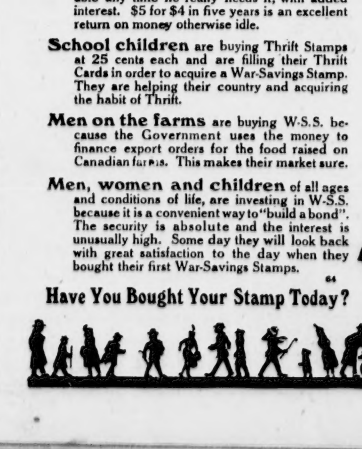
The business man is cutting off small and unnecessary expenditures and buying War-Savings Stamps. He knows his money is available any time he really needs it, with added interest. \$5 for \$4 in five years is an excellent return on money otherwise idle.

School children are buying Thrift Stamps at 25 cents each and are filling their Thrift Cards in order to acquire a War-Savings Stamp. They are helping their country and acquiring the habit of Thrift.

Men on the farms are buying W.S.S. because the Government uses the money to finance export orders for the food raised on Canadian farms. This makes their market sure.

Men, women and children of all ages and conditions of life, are investing in W.S.S. because it is a convenient way to "build a bond". The security is absolute and the interest is unusually high. Some day they will look back with great satisfaction to the day when they bought their first War-Savings Stamp.

Have You Bought Your Stamp Today?



TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Attractiveness

Common sense was brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, just the thing to strengthen and fade hair beautifully dark and lustrous. Well, your hair is faded, streaked or gray. Bring the Sage Tea and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients.

While sage, gray, faded hair is not styled, the all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. The Sage Tea and Sulphur Compound can be used on the hair, and it is so natural, so easy. You just dampen a sponge or soft cloth with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by drawing all gray hairs have disappeared, and the hair grows again, and in two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and lustrous.

Why They Are Buying WAR-SAVINGS STAMPS

The housewife is economizing in comfortable ways and investing in War-Savings Stamps at \$4.02 each this month. In 1924, when these stamps are redeemed at \$5.00 each, every dollar will have greater purchasing power.

The business man is cutting off small and unnecessary expenditures and buying War-Savings Stamps. He knows his money is available any time he really needs it, with added interest. \$5 for \$4 in five years is an excellent return on money otherwise idle.

School children are buying Thrift Stamps at 25 cents each and are filling their Thrift Cards in order to acquire a War-Savings Stamp. They are helping their country and acquiring the habit of Thrift.

Men on the farms are buying W.S.S. because the Government uses the money to finance export orders for the food raised on Canadian farms. This makes their market sure.

Men, women and children of all ages and conditions of life, are investing in W.S.S. because it is a convenient way to "build a bond". The security is absolute and the interest is unusually high. Some day they will look back with great satisfaction to the day when they bought their first War-Savings Stamp.



Grape-Nuts A True Builder

Made from whole wheat & malted barley this delicious food provides the necessary elements for sturdy muscle and brain building. Economical—Requires no sugar.

"There's a Reason"



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